

THRILLING RESCUES AT A YONKERS FIRE.

With Two Children in Arms
a Father Slides Down
a Leader.

Policeman Horn Catches a Little Girl Who Falls from a Broken Rope.

He Also Descends on a Line from the Top Story with a Fainting Girl.

NINE FAMILIES IN GREAT PERIL.

But, Although the Paid and the Volunteer Fire Departments Argue Questions of Authority, All the Inmates Are Providentially Saved.

In a building which caught fire in Yonkers yesterday morning were nine families, including two septuagenarians and seven very little children. The paid firemen of the department, seven in number, were at odds with the volunteers, and there was a clash of authority. These circumstances, in connection with the fact that the means of escape were insufficient, make it almost miraculous that no lives were lost.

The scene of the fire was on Palisade avenue, a narrow street lined with small shops near Getty square, and in the alley in the rear of the avenue. The building was of brick, with nine wooden bay windows in the front and a veranda at each of the three stories in the rear. Men, women and children came to the ground by ladders and ropes through the blinding smoke with which these verandas were enveloped.

At dawn John Maher, the brother of a baker who lived in the building, was boiling some fat, which overflowed and caught fire. Maher burned his hands in trying to extinguish the blaze, and then ran out to ring the Getty square alarm.

The paid firemen, whose headquarters were near the scene of the fire, arrived in fifteen seconds; the volunteers, about eight blocks further off, arrived in three minutes. Meanwhile the smoke had gone up the stairways and shafts, and awakened J. A. B. Naylor. "It's the usual baker shop smoke," he said to his wife, as he left the apartment and threw open a rear window. Whole family huddled in terror.

When he had done this the draught which drew the smoke to him carried with it the screams of frightened children. He rushed back to his room and found his mother, wife and seven children huddled in a corner. His mother is old and infirm, one of his daughters—Laura—had been made deaf and dumb by an attack of scarlet fever and two of the others are scarcely out of their swaddling clothes.

Taking these last two in his arms, he went to the door on that veranda. It was locked. Without a moment's hesitation he returned to the window and jumped upon the veranda. Then he felt for the leaden pipe through which the water runs from the roof, grasped it with his hands, while the children tightened their little arms around his neck, and slid in safety to the ground.

He was dazed, black with smoke, and his legs faltered under him for a moment. When he looked up he saw his mother being borne down a ladder; then his wife with their eldest daughter and a boy followed.

The ladder had been raised by the firemen at the side of the burning building to an aperture in the wall of the veranda which the landlord had neglected to repair. It was a fortunate neglect, for the ladder at the side rested on an adjoining building, and it could not have reached higher than the first story if it had been placed in the rear.

Down this ladder came members of other families: L. S. Baker, a dealer in clothing; G. W. Tiley, a dealer in butter, eggs and cheese; Miss Goodchild, J. Kearney, Mrs. Duffy and Mrs. Kearney.

Rescue of the Naylor Children. Mr. Naylor, with his wife and mother and the two children he had rescued, wrung his hands in agony at the thought of those who had been left behind. The firemen had, however, meanwhile been active. They cut clothes lines from their pulleys, and



Chief Mulcahey went up a ladder, but was struck and knocked down, though not seriously hurt, by a fireman who was descending with the unconscious form of J. B. Maher, which he had found lying on the floor of his room above his bake shop. Other firemen with ladders of clothes-line in their hands had reached the veranda on the floor upon which the Naylor children, almost crazed with fright, were huddled. Ropes were placed under the arms of little Laura Naylor, the deaf and dumb girl, and of Joseph Naylor, her younger brother, and both children were dropped over the balustrade and lowered to the ground in safety. Little Helen Naylor, who was frightened almost into hysterics, fought hard against being tied, and just as they began to lower her she gave

a jerk that broke the clothes line and let her body fall. Her parents shrieked as they saw the rope part, but good, strong Policeman Horn was standing directly below, and caught the child safely in his arms.

Policeman's Splendid Rescue.

It seemed, then, as if all had been saved from the flames, but Policeman Horn, not being quite sure, went up the ladder with a wet handkerchief over his eyes. He entered one of the windows of the top story and disappeared. When he returned to the view of the astonished crowd he held in his arms Fannie Naylor, niece of J. A. B. Naylor, who had been forgotten. The brave policeman had found her in a dead faint in her bed. He descended with her on a rope, and was loudly cheered. She was wrapped tightly in his coat. Volunteers and paid firemen at the front of the building, while these incidents were occurring, quarreled. "Carry this pipe into the hall," ordered Chief Mulcahey. "Has Mulcahey the right to give orders to a volunteer?" asked Edward Fitzgerald, of Hose Company No. 3. "We use your ladders in a case like this without your consent," shouted another fireman to W. W. Baker. Thus the men disputed about their privileges and qualifications, apparently regardless of the fact that many lives were in danger.

The burned building was the property of David Hawley. It was valued at \$10,000 and the damage is estimated at \$10,000.

FLAMES AT SOUTH BEACH.

Many Buildings Burned, and \$50,000 Worth of Damage Done—Several Persons Narrowly Escape with Their Lives.

The most destructive fire that has ever occurred at South Beach, Staten Island, broke out at 11:15 o'clock yesterday morning.

MOTHER SENDS HER DAUGHTER TO JAIL.

Mrs. Anne Beaven Accuses Mrs. Lillie Mason, and Magistrate Cornell Condemns.

Ten Years of Patient Kindness Repaid in Bitter Stories of Persecution and Abuse.

DRINK CAUSES THE TROUBLE.

The Young Woman's Married Life Was Unhappy—She Sought a Consoler Which Only Led to Excesses of Temper and the Workhouse.

"It is heartbreaking for us to send our child to jail; but what else can we do? She has brought sorrow and disgrace upon us by her misconduct. She has threatened our lives. In the last ten years she has been arrested at least fifty times."

With a sob Mrs. Anne Beaven, of No. 232 West Thirty-fourth street, told her tale to Magistrate Cornell yesterday. She brushed back her white hair wearily from her forehead, and looked piteously at her daughter, Mrs. Lillie S. Mason, who stood



Scenes of Rescue at the Early Morning Fire in Yonkers.

ing, and swept the beach of the timber-box frame structures for a distance of over 500 feet, in an hour and a quarter. Fortunately, the fire started at a part of the beach where the buildings were small and of little value, and the total loss is estimated at less than \$50,000.

The fire originated in a shanty just west of the walks leading to the Rapid Transit Railroad station, which was occupied as a restaurant by F. Zaloon. His explanation is that the strong wind blew down the pipe connected with his cooking range, and sent some live coals out upon the floor. An alarm was sent in, but it was over half an hour before the fire companies reached the beach. A portion of Richmond avenue, the main road to the beach, is being macadamized, and the apparatus could only be gotten through by hitching on to trolley cars, and by driving upon the sidewalk. When they did arrive, there was only one

near her, angry and defiant. The aged father was there too. An honorable merchant who had striven hard to succeed in life, he felt his disgrace keenly, and the tears stood in his eyes while the mother spoke. In the manner of the parents were the marks of a refinement which had not yet wholly disappeared from the face and demeanor of the daughter.

Mrs. Mason married against her parents' wishes fifteen years ago. Her life was unhappy; she drank, and when intoxicated made much trouble for her parents. She told the neighbors she had been cast off by her parents because she had refused to marry a rich man. When she was called to see her father or mother Mrs. Mason was sure to be on hand to tell extravagant stories of parental persecution.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Beaven one by one ceased to visit them, and in their old age the Beavens found themselves neglected and shunned by those who had once been their companions. During much of the time since her husband's death Mrs.

THE TREATMENT THAT CURES.

How Doctor Copeland's Wonderful Medication Does Its Beneficent Work for Suffering Humanity.

It Reaches, Soothes and Heals Every Part of the Mucous Membrane, Curing Invariably All Forms of Catarrhal Disease of the Nose, Throat, Vocal Cords, Bronchial Tubes, Lungs and Deafness—Doctor Copeland Gives His Famous Symptom Questions, Describing Disease in Its Different Forms, and Cites Instances of Notable Cures.

THE TREATMENT THAT CURES.

Doctor Copeland's new treatment, that has lifted the darkness and blight of the word "incurable" from hundreds of thousands of these cases of Catarrh in the Nose, Bronchial Tubes and Lungs, works its curative action for two reasons:

- (1) It reaches every sore spot, from the orifice of the nose to the deepest part of the lungs, to the innermost recesses of the middle ear.
- (2) Instead of irritating, inflaming and feeding the fires of the disease, it soothes, quiets, and heals.

What is this treatment that cures these conditions, once regarded incurable? By what process does it restore the diseased membrane, remove the poison and relieve the soreness of disease? Let the experience of patients cured and being cured tell.

HOW IT CURES

COMMON CATARRH.

Here is a patient taking treatment for Catarrh of the Head. He breathes the soothing medication through his nostrils, and the nasal channels open up, the stuffed-up feeling in the head leaves, and he can breathe naturally through the nose again. The dull pain across the front of the head fades away, and the nasal membrane is soothed until the inflammation and soreness are all gone. The bad odor of the breath passes away, and the lost sense of smell returns. The drooping in the throat is checked, the voice does not stop up toward night any more, the sneezing and sniffling have ceased, and the discharge from the nose grows less and less, and finally stops altogether. The disease has been checked and eradicated from the system before it even reached his throat. It has not been driven down into his throat or into his lungs or into his ears, as so often is done by other treatments.

HOW IT CURES

CATARRH IN THE THROAT.

Here is another patient who had Catarrh in the Head. He caught cold after cold, and the disease spread down into his throat. He breathes and drinks in the disease-banishing medication. It bathes the membranes of his head and throat. The soreness of the head and throat becomes less and the desire to hawk and spit is disappearing, the sense of taste is returning, and the voice again becomes soft and melodious. There is no more gagging and vomiting in the morning. No longer does every exposure to the weather result in a stuffed-up throat that becomes sore and inflamed, and no longer does he find his throat and tongue dry as chips when he wakes from an unrefreshing sleep.

HOW IT CURES

CATARRH OF VOCAL CORDS.

Here is another patient who contracted Catarrh that extended from the throat into the glottis, the gateway that opens to the windpipe and lungs. The disease attacks the vocal cords, this sensitive instrument of the human voice, and soon mars its sweet tones or destroys them altogether. Here sits a lady, inhaling the soothing preparation. She has been ten months silent, and the treatment has already restored her voice. Who can say what joy she feels in being restored to the usefulness and the pleasure of conversation?

HOW IT CURES

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS.

Here is another patient who for years had been a sufferer. Every fresh cold seemed to stay longer than former colds, and he noticed that his ears got stopped up and his hearing became duller and duller, and there were ringing and buzzing noises in his ears. The Catarrh had passed upward and backward from the throat along the Eustachian tube leading from the throat into the ears. He had visited throat doctors and ear doctors and Catarrh doctors without relief. In this condition we find him inhaling the never-failing medication, and soon he notices a change. The noises in the ears stop, there is no more discharge, the ears getting better, and finally the tubes of the ears open up and some relief seems to give way in his head. His hearing has completely returned. No wonder he considers the result a marvel.

HOW IT CURES

BRONCHIAL CATARRH.

Here is another patient who was always sensitive to the weather. He contracted Catarrh of the Head, and it passed to his throat, then down the windpipe and into the bronchial tubes. He coughed at night so that he could not sleep; there was pain behind his breast bone and under the shoulder blades. When he coughed he was sure to bring up grayish material brought up with blood. He lost appetite and strength. He tried cough syrups and different medicines to no avail. He now breathes the soothing medication. The sore spots along the bronchial tubes heal, the cough ceases, the pain leaves. The appetite and strength return. He is again a well and happy man.

HOW IT CURES

CATARRH OF THE LUNGS.

Here is another pitiful case. He had all the history of colds and catarrh, extending downward from the nose to throat, to glottis, to windpipe, to the bronchial tubes, and then into the small cavities of the lungs. His cough always troubled him. He raised large quantities of vile mucus, he had fever every afternoon, looking material, he had fever every afternoon and could not sleep at night. He had no appetite, and his strength and ambition failed. He had night sweats every once in awhile, and feared that his end was near.

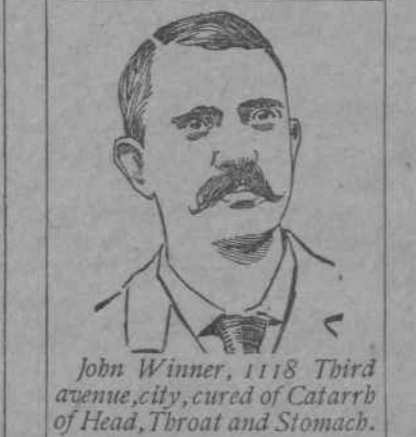
See him after four months of treatment! A new man. The healing and soothing medication has time after time sought out every nook of the disease, even to the extreme depth of the lung cells, and bathed and cooled and healed the membranes. There is no more of the nasty discharges, no more cough, no more fever, no more pain, no more night sweats. The appetite returns, and with it comes back strength and ambition. The cheeks all out and regain their color. The step becomes buoyant. He has been saved from a lingering but absolutely sure death.

THE PROPER COURSE FOR SUFFERERS.

The proper course for sufferers is this: Read these symptoms carefully over, mark those that apply to your case, and bring this with you to either of the Copeland offices. If you live away from the city, send them by mail and ask for home treatment. In either instance, and whether by mail or office treatment, the patient may be assured of the speediest relief and cure possible to enlightened medicine.

SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH OF THE HEAD AND THROAT.

The head and throat become diseased from collected colds causing Catarrh when the condition of the blood predisposes to this condition.



John Winner, 1118 Third Avenue, City, cured of Catarrh of Head, Throat and Stomach.

- "Is the voice husky?"
- "Do you spit up slime?"
- "Do you ache all over?"
- "Do you snore at night?"
- "Do you sleep with your mouth open?"
- "Is the nose stopped up?"
- "Does your nose discharge?"
- "Does the nose bleed easily?"
- "Is this worse towards night?"
- "Does the nose itch and burn?"
- "Is there pain in front of head?"
- "Is there tickling in the throat?"
- "Is there a sense of small leaving?"
- "Do you hawk to clear the throat?"
- "Is the throat dry in the morning?"
- "Are you losing your sense of taste?"
- "Do you sleep with your mouth open?"
- "Does your nose stop up toward night?"

SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH OF THE BRONCHIAL TUBES.

This condition often results from catarrh extending from the head and throat, and, if left unchecked, extends down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes, and in time attacks the lungs.



John B. McBurnh, 215 Pine Street, Jersey City, cured of Catarrh of Bronchial Tubes and Stomach.

- "Have you a cough?"
- "Are you losing flesh?"
- "Do you cough at night?"
- "Have you a pain in side?"
- "Do you take cold easily?"
- "Is your appetite variable?"
- "Have you stitches in side?"
- "Do you cough in your sleep?"
- "Do you raise frothy material?"
- "Do you cough on going to bed?"
- "Do you cough in the morning?"
- "Are you low-spirited at times?"
- "Do you spit up yellow matter?"
- "Is your cough short and hacking?"
- "Do you spit up little cheesy lumps?"
- "Have you a disgust for fatty foods?"
- "Do you feel a tickling behind the palate?"
- "Do you feel you are growing weaker?"
- "Is there a burning pain in the throat?"
- "Have you a pain behind the breastbone?"
- "Do you cough worse at night and morning?"
- "Have to sit up at night to get breath?"

SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

This condition may result from several causes, but the usual cause is catarrh, the mucus dropping down into the throat and being swallowed.



Jacob Ryerson, Superintendent of Relief of the Poor, Paterson, New Jersey. Completely cured of Heart and Stomach Troubles.

- "Is there nausea?"
- "Are you constipated?"
- "Is there vomiting?"
- "Do you belch up gas?"
- "Have you waterbrash?"
- "Are you light-headed?"
- "Is your tongue coated?"
- "Do you have acid spit?"
- "Is there pain after eating?"
- "Are you nervous and weak?"
- "Do you have sick headaches?"
- "Do you blot up after eating?"
- "Is there disgust for breakfast?"
- "Is your heart filled with slime?"
- "Do you sometimes have diarrhoea?"
- "Is there a dull pain to the head?"
- "When you get up suddenly are you dizzy?"
- "Do you feel constant sensation in stomach?"
- "When stomach is empty feel faint?"
- "Do you belch material that burns throat?"
- "If stomach is full do you feel oppressed?"

THE SYMPTOMS OF EAR TROUBLES.

Deafness and ear troubles result from catarrh passing along the Eustachian tube that leads from the throat to the ear.



Wilber F. Eble, 164 Wright Street, Newark, New Jersey. Cured of Roaring Noises in the Ears and Partial Deafness.

- "Is your hearing falling?"
- "Do your ears discharge?"
- "Do your ears itch and burn?"
- "Are the ears dry and scaly?"
- "Are there sounds like steam escaping?"
- "Is there a throbbing in the ears?"
- "Is there a buzzing sound heard?"
- "Do you hear sounds like steam escaping?"
- "Are there crackling sounds heard?"
- "Is your hearing bad cloudy days?"
- "Do you have catarrh occasionally?"
- "Are there sounds like steam escaping?"
- "Do ears hurt when you blow your nose?"
- "Do you constantly hear noises in ears?"
- "Is hearing worse when you have a cold?"
- "Hear better some days than others?"
- "Do noises in your ears keep you awake?"
- "When you blow nose do the ears crack?"
- "Is hearing worse when you have a cold?"
- "Is roaring like a waterfall in the head?"

SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS.

This condition results either from colds or from overwork of the kidneys in separating from the blood the poisons that have been absorbed from catarrh.



Hiram Sherman, North Long Branch, New Jersey, testifies to the skill of the Copeland Physicians in curing Disease of the Kidneys.

- "Is the skin pale and dry?"
- "Is your hair getting gray?"
- "Has the skin a waxy look?"
- "Is the hair falling out?"
- "Is the skin dry and harsh?"
- "Do the legs feel too heavy?"
- "Is there nausea after eating?"
- "Do the joints pain and ache?"
- "Are they cold and clammy?"
- "Is the urine dark and cloudy?"
- "Are the eyes dull and staring?"
- "Is there pain in small of back?"
- "Do your hands and feet swell?"
- "Have you pain in top of the head?"
- "Has the perspiration a bad odor?"
- "Is there puffiness under the eyes?"
- "Is there a bad taste in the mouth?"
- "Is there a desire to get up at night?"
- "Are there dark rings around the eyes?"
- "Do you see spots floating before the eyes?"
- "Have you chilly feelings down the back?"
- "Do you see unpleasant things while asleep?"
- "Does a deposit form when left standing?"

THE GREAT SUCCESS OF HOME TREATMENT.

The system of treating patients who live at a distance has been so perfected that with the aid of the Copeland symptom blank and patients' report sheet the percentage of cures by mail or home treatment is fully equal to the number of cures in the office. If you live away from the city write for Home Treatment.

Mrs. Luke Alexander, Portland, Conn.: "I was greatly benefited by Home Treatment. I do not need any more treatment for catarrh or deafness. My hearing has come back and I can hear as well as ever, and my head and throat are thoroughly cured."

Charles F. Schaffer, Myrtle, Conn.: "I went to the telephone and heard plainly nearly every word that was spoken. I was hard of hearing for fourteen years. I haven't had a touch of asthma for some time. The Copeland Physicians cured me of asthma and deafness by Home Treatment."

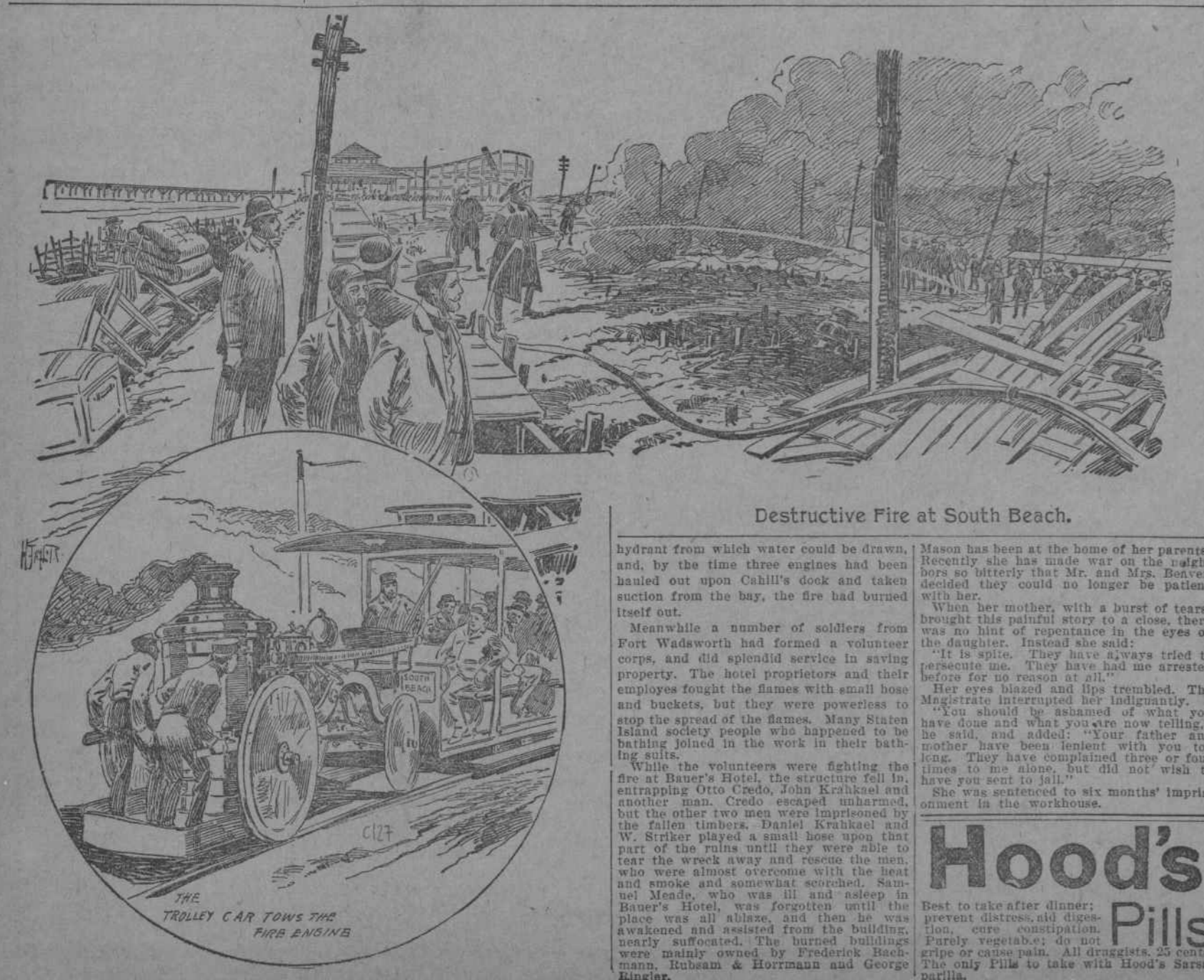
DOCTOR COPELAND'S BOOK FREE TO ALL.

If you live out of the city write for Doctor Copeland's book containing a description by Doctor Copeland of The Treatment That Cures, Doctor Copeland's Monograph on Deafness, Doctor Copeland's Monograph on Catarrh and Doctor Copeland's famous Symptom Questions describing disease in its different forms. The book will be mailed to you FREE.

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Destructive Fire at South Beach.

hydrant from which water could be drawn, and by the time three engines had been hauled out upon Cahill's dock and taken suction from the bay, the fire had burned itself out.

Meanwhile a number of soldiers from Fort Wadsworth had formed a volunteer corps, and did splendid service in saving property. The hotel proprietors and their employees fought the flames with small hose and buckets, but they were powerless to stop the spread of the flames. Many Staten Island society people who happened to be bathing joined in the work in their bathing suits.

While the volunteers were fighting the fire at Bauer's Hotel, the structure fell in, entrapping Otto Credé, John Krahmel and W. Striker played a small hose upon that part of the ruins until they were able to tear the wreck away and rescue the men, who were almost overcome with the heat and smoke and somewhat scorched. Samuel Meade, who was ill and asleep in Bauer's Hotel, was forgotten until the place was all ablaze, and then he was awakened and assisted from the building, nearly suffocated. The burned buildings were mainly owned by Frederick Bachmann, Rubsam & Hornmann and George Klingler.

Mason has been at the home of her parents. Recently she has made war on the neighbors so bitterly that Mr. and Mrs. Beaven decided they could no longer be patient with her. When her mother, with a burst of tears, brought this painful story to a close, there was no hint of repentance in the eyes of the daughter. Instead she said: "It is spite. They have always tried to persecute me. They have had me arrested before for no reason at all." Her eyes blazed and lips trembled. The Magistrate interrupted her indignantly. You should be ashamed of what you have done and what you are now telling," he said, and added: "Your father and mother have been lenient with you too long. They have complained to me four times to me alone, but did not wish to have you sent to jail." She was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the workhouse.

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